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DAILY WEATHER REPORT
Cloudy with rain tonight and probably in north portion Wednesday.

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FIREMEN TELL HOW PANICKY CALLS MAY CAUSE FIRE LOSSES

Urge Public to Ask 'Phone Operator to "Send Nearest Company"

WARN ABOUT MATCHES

James E. Groome Is Re-Nominated For President of the Association

POINT PLEASANT, Apr. 17—If the ears of Mr. and Mrs. Average Citizen didn't burn on Saturday evening, it wasn't the fault of nearly 250 firemen, members of the Bucks County Firemen's Association, in session here as guests of the Point Pleasant Fire Company.

Three specific instances in which fires were disastrous in Bucks county because of carelessness on the part of Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Public were discussed by the firemen and County Fire Marshal William L. Stackhouse.

Matches, kept within the reach of a three or four-year-old boy, resulted in a fire which destroyed a barn and refreshment stand, near Jamison, with a loss estimated at \$3500. The youngster, managing to get matches because they were within his reach, went to the haymow and started a blaze which firemen were unable to combat. It was at this point that President James E. Groome again urged the firemen to "go home and educate the people about the danger of keeping matches so that mice and children are able to get at them." The child, it was stated, admitted to the County Fire Marshal that he started the fire because he liked to see and hear fire engines. His parents, however, it was stated, maintained steadfastly that their child had not been out of the house the morning of the fire. Neighbors contradicted this statement, it was said.

A quarter of an hour—at a time when seconds count—was lost when a Feasterville woman, learning of a fire nearby, lost her head and called a Philadelphia fire company instead of asking for a local company. Not acquainted with the telephone number of her local fire company, the woman, who apparently became panicky, rushed to her telephone and told the operator to give her "Fire Headquarters." The operator connected her with City Hall in Philadelphia, thinking she wished to communicate with city authorities, and when she told them of the fire near Trevose, a call was again relayed to firemen in Engine House No. 58 located in Somerton, who were ordered to go to the fire despite the fact it was out of their territory and reach.

Had this woman gone to her telephone and merely said to the operator "Send me your nearest fire company," there is no doubt in the minds of the Southampton and Trevose fire companies that they would have been the first to answer the alarm. A house damaged to the extent of \$4500, was ruined because of the confusion in summoning aid, delaying the arrival of apparatus.

Two fire companies, Capitol View and Union, of Morrisville, who use small cards with their telephone numbers displayed and Hulmeville and South Langhorne, distributing cards with "fire-call" will, demonstrate how they make an effort to educate the public to call safely and sanely a fire company nearest the scene of the fire, at the next meeting of the firemen.

That hundreds of Bucks county firemen are not only firemen but acting as policemen was indicated when a 35-year-old man, alleged to be mentally sub-normal, was caught setting fire to a building because he "didn't like a certain party." This defendant, now in the hands of State Police and awaiting trial in the county court, was suspected by Newtown firemen. Their suspicions were confirmed when he started a fire in a small building by igniting paper, and then ran to the house for a saucepan full of water in order to extinguish the blaze.

County Fire Marshal Stackhouse said the man admitted he "knew it was wrong after the building got on fire, but that he was sore at a boss."

Submitting his report Fire Marshal Stackhouse stated since March Bucks county suffered a loss of \$19,000, insurance covering the loss amounting to \$14,500. Twenty-two alarms were answered by the various companies. He pointed out the menace of several serious grass fires.

Upon the invitation of the Newtown Fire Company, the annual meeting will be held on Friday, June 15, at the Newtown High School. On Saturday as part of the 250th anniversary of Newtown, the Bucks County Firemen's Association will hold a parade in which every Bucks county fireman will be asked to participate, in addition to Jenkintown, Abington, Willow Grove, Haverford and several New Jersey fire companies.

Because it is the 21st birthday anniversary of the Newtown Fire Company, President Groome urged the various other companies to co-operate and make it a worthwhile parade. A representative of the Newtown

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William W. Mutchler Dies in Hahnemann Hospital

EDGELY, Apr. 17—William W. Mutchler, 68, husband of Emma Henrie Mutchler, died in the Hahnemann Hospital yesterday after being ill for quite some time.

The deceased had been a resident here for several years and relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral which will be held from his late residence on Edgely avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The services will be in charge of the Rev. Rogers and burial will be in Greenwood cemetery, Trenton, N. J. Friends may call Wednesday evening. The funeral will be under the direction of the H. S. Rue Estate.

BULGARIA TO BAR ALL IMPORTS FROM FAR EAST

Effort To Be Made To Save The Domestic Markets, It Is Said

LOCKS DOOR TOO LATE

(Note: This is the third and final article dealing with the problems faced by European nations which have felt the trade effects of the tremendous export drive by the Japanese for world trade dominance.—International News Service)

By Tom Wilhelm
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

SOFIA, Apr. 17—(INS)—Bulgaria is in a position of locking the barn after the horse was stolen, as regards Japanese imports.

Steps will be taken, however, to bar the gate on future shipments from the Far East because this country has no commercial treaty with the Nipponese.

The insidious invasion of the Bulgarian domestic markets began a few months ago in all silence. Under the guise of an "Art Exhibition" a display of Japanese goods was opened in the capital and soon the populace was trekking there. The articles from the "Art Exhibition" were neat and cheap.

Assured of success of their business, the Japanese brought great quantities of merchandise from Japan destined for the Bulgarian market. This shipment was discovered in Constantinople and immediately the Bulgarian government took steps to bar the goods.

Throughout South Eastern Europe the Japanese invasion has been successful. Combined, these countries bought 3,700,000 yen worth of Japanese exports in 1933, but were unable to sell to the Japanese goods worth 200,000 yen more. Three years ago the Japanese exported but 700,000 yen worth to these countries.

Turkey, through government measures, succeeding in cutting imports from Japan in 1933 to 2,400,000 yen compared with 6,000,000 yen the preceding year, but still sells 1,400,000 yen less to Japan than Japan sells to the Turks.

European Russia's trade figures indicate a favorable balance for the Soviets in Japanese trade relations in a ratio of about one to four.

In the Near Eastern countries the Japanese have been signal successes in pushing their wares. Here they sold 29,000,000 yen worth of goods last year and made purchase amounting to only 2,700,000.

Not a little of this business was secured in Palestine, German firms feeling the brunt of the sales campaign. This condition cannot be attributed in full to the Japanese prices. German domestic political affairs also play a role.

A turn to the western tier of European countries shows a similar picture.

Holland buys about four times as much from Japan as the Japanese purchase from Holland. The Japanese have increased their exports to Holland about 50 per cent. in the

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Make Plans For Card Party For Tennis Club

Plans are being advanced for the card party Friday evening in St. James's parish house and sponsored by the Harriman Hospital Tennis Club which to date consists of 40 members. Proceeds will go toward the rebuilding and upkeep of the court to be used by the young people of the town.

All members are diligently striving for the success of this initial venture of the tennis enthusiasts who were organized recently into a club.

The refreshment committee is in charge of Miss Blanche Rudder. The committee on prizes has Miss Catherine Ferry for chairlady.

A varied and costly group of prizes has been assembled and is on display at Spencer & Sons' Furniture Store, Mill and Radcliffe streets. Some of the favors will comprise: French perfume, cigarette lighter, compact, end table, foot stool, smoking stand, mantel clock, groceries, fruit, glassware, linen breakfast set, silk hoseery, sandwich griddle, man's shirt, and many other desirable objects. The large prize will be the choice of a radio for a car or home.

Playing will begin at 8:45, and will include contract and auction bridge, pinochle, "500" and euchre.

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PENNSYLVANIA FARMERS ARE RETURNING TO THE WAYS AND CUSTOMS OF PIONEERS

Many Ancient Customs Are Now Being Put Into Practice

MANY ARE USING WOOD

One Farmer Has Returned To The Use of Oxen In The Field

Facing nearly as many problems in existence as the pioneers who first carved homes from the wilderness, Pennsylvania farmers are returning to the ways and customs of their forefathers.

Many practices common in the days of spinning wheels have returned to keep company with 1934 conveniences. A simpler and more self-sufficient mode of living is the rule.

Coal, always a luxury on most farms, has given way to wood for cooking and heating, and neat piles of firewood are common sights beside most farmhouses, especially in the northern counties where huge forest tracts make wood easily accessible.

In the past two winters the Department of Forests and Waters has granted thousands of permits to farmers and residents of communities in rural sections for the removal of dead and fallen timber from State forest lands.

A new generation is learning that four stove cords equal one standard cord.

Tractors, bought in the years of prosperity, are standing idle this spring because of the high cost of operation, according to reports of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, and old Dobbins again is back in popularity for all types of farm work. So many farmers are buying horses this year that good draught horses are now scarce and the price level is rapidly rising.

Several farmers have gone back to the use of oxen. Among these is George Chestnut whose two five-year-old animals are trained to all the duties around his large farm in Lycoming county. Chestnut predicts that more and more farmers will return to oxen, with their ancient wooden yoke, for farm motive power.

Reports from several parts of the State indicate that more natural ice was harvested in the past winter than for years, and ice houses are filled now that have not felt the cold touch of ice for many seasons.

Unable to get cash for their crops, farmers barter their eggs, dairy products and vegetables at the cross roads store for salt, sugar, and other necessities that cannot raise.

Many farmers during the next year will depend for their sugar upon the syrup and sugar made this Spring in maple sugar camps.

Because of the farmer's trend back toward a simpler mode of living, one rural institution—the grist mill—is

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KUTZ CANAL REPORT IS ONE OF GREAT DETAIL

Probably Most Extensive Report Ever Made On The Subject

IT WAS STARTED IN 1923

(Note: This is the twelfth and last of a series of articles on canal routes now under consideration in Ohio and Pennsylvania.)

By James C. Kinkaid
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

PITTSBURGH, Apr. 17—(INS)—Down through the ages man has endeavored to make his transportation problems easier.

Today, Pennsylvania and Ohio are facing a question more than a half century old: "Is a canal between the Ohio River and Lake Erie practical?"

Probably the most extensive report ever made to date on the practicability of a canal of this type was the Kutz report, begun in 1923. This report went into great detail as to costs, water supply, rail rates, water transportation costs, prospective commerce and other factors.

The report covering the Pittsburgh-Ashtabula, Portsmouth-Sandusky and Cincinnati-Toledo proposals was submitted in March, 1925. Costs were based on a 140-foot minimum bottom width and double locks of 12x56x36 feet. These were:

Pittsburgh-Ashtabula, \$101,000,000; Portsmouth-Sandusky, \$161,000,000, and Cincinnati-Toledo, \$194,000,000.

This report was not transmitted to Congress, but held in abeyance by the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors until 1933, in order that these advocates of the Beaver-Ashtabula route might have the opportunity of submitting additional data.

Briefs were submitted at public hearings in May, 1932, and April, 1933.

Meanwhile, a report was submitted on the preliminary examination of the Allegheny River-French Creek proposal. Once again, Kutz reached the conclusion that although the canal was

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CATHERINE ARMSTRONG, Ward Leader

FUNERAL SERVICES TONIGHT

Mrs. Anna L. Winnemore, a former resident of Bristol, and mother of the late Mrs. L. T. Ferguson, was claimed by death on Sunday in Philadelphia.

Funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral parlor at 53rd and Vine streets, Philadelphia.

Services will be held there this evening.

FALLSINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kloppenberg entertained at Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. William Lovett and Mrs. Ida Wright, Emilie.

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LATEST NEWS - - -

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Announce Engagement at Party Held In Philadelphia

The engagement of Miss Rose T. DiGiralamo, daughter of Mrs. Anna DiGiralamo, 1509 Unity street, Frankford, to Fred Seneca, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Seneca, 911 Mansion street, was announced Saturday evening at a party held at Miss DiGiralamo's home.

No date has been set for the wedding.

The evening was spent in dancing and refreshments were served. The decorations used were pink and blue crepe paper. Miss DiGiralamo was presented with many beautiful gifts. There were about 50 people from Bristol attending.

FRENCH DECIDE ON POLICY

PARIS, France, Apr. 17—Marking a departure from a policy stubbornly adhered to since the close of the World War, France will send a note to Great Britain tonight, it was learned today, abandoning her demands for guaranteeing of French securities as a pre-requisite to disarmament. Decision to send the note was reached at a meeting of the Ministerial Council today.

France will not, however, unequivocally abandon her historic position regarding guaranteeing of securities. She will insist, it was learned, that Great Britain covenant to insure the carrying out by Germany of the terms of any new arms agreement that may be reached. With this reservation, the note will inform Great Britain that France is now prepared to discuss disarmament on the basis of the present status of world armament, indicating continued opposition to any increase in arms for Germany.

Ellis Parker Tells About Murder Cases

Famous Burlington County Detective Addresses Elks Lodge

VERY QUIET SPOKEN

Last night before one of the largest meetings held in years, by members of the Bristol Lodge of Elks, a quiet spoken, kindly gentleman, well past middle age, held the audience spellbound with stories of his exploits as a county detective.

WANTS STUDY OF AVIATION

WASHINGTON, D. C., Apr. 17—President Roosevelt's recommendation that legislation permanently returning the air mail service to private companies be deferred until next Fall pending a thorough study and formulation of a "bold policy relating to aviation as a whole," was before Congress today. He suggested that Congress authorize the Post Office Department to receive competitive bids from private contractors to carry the air mail for one year and to empower him to name a special commission of aeronautical experts to study the whole problem of aviation, commercial, military, air mail and private flying.

SEARCH FOR BANDIT

CAMDEN, N. J., Apr. 17—State troopers of New Jersey and Pennsylvania today joined the search for four daring gunmen who terrorized a bank messenger with a burst of fire from a shot gun and then looted his armored truck of \$5,000 in cash and checks. The tables were decorated with bouquets of cut flowers.

During this time, Mrs. Edith Ratcliffe, the oldest member of the lodge, was presented with a bouquet, and John Burke, Philadelphia, Deputy State Supreme Commander, was presented with a cake. These presentations were made by Mrs. Warren Thompson, secretary of the lodge.

COULD TALK WITH

DOYLESTOWN, Apr. 17—Six Philadelphians who were caught by the Quakertown police in possession of three revolvers and a sawed-off shotgun after wrecking a borrowed automobile along the Bethlehem Pike several months ago, were sentenced yesterday by Judge Calvin S. Boyer.

They are the six who were refused new trials after being convicted in criminal court. All but one had previous prison records. The sentences will be in all probability protect the public from any future crime on the part of the defendants for some time to come.

The sentences were as follows:

Anthony Carlo, 20, married; sentenced to Huntingdon Reformatory for one to three years; record, second offense, operating under three aliases.

James Lombardo, 22, single; sentenced to six months to three years in Bucks County Prison; record, arrested three times before but never convicted.

Joseph Lombertino, 23, sentenced suspended on condition that defendant be returned to Philadelphia authorities

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Group of Friends Tender Mr. Galzerano A Party

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THE MODERN ATLAS

Atlas no longer supports the civilized world.

Rather, the burden rests upon the supple shoulders of a flexible-muscled young giant; a tawny-haired, swiftly-moving youth known as Electricity.

He stands with feet firmly planted at the opposite poles while coursing through his body, from negative to positive, flows the greatest force known to mankind today.

Some call it white coal; some call it a natural phenomenon; others call it indefinable force.

Call it what one will, it is the thing today which hurls voices and music around the world; which turns the motors of the industries which have made America a great nation; pulls long trains of cars laden with human freight and valuable merchandise; lights the greatest city and the smallest hamlet.

It is the thing which is taking drudgery out of the housewife's daily tasks. It is the thing which enables science to see the inside of the human body and other matter. It is the power which courses through the veins of the world today, every bit as necessary as the red blood which flows through the circulatory system of the human body.

No one catastrophe could befall the world today which would be more paralyzing or more devastating in its effect than the sudden loss of the natural phenomenon called electricity. Man can hardly conceive of modern civilization continuing without this benevolent force.

COMPULSION LOOMS

No better illustration of the radical length to which the New Deal has gone is available than in the Bankhead cotton control bill. The measure has been passed by both houses but is awaiting the adjustment of differences before being sent to the president.

Enactment of the bill will mean the taking away, by the government, from the individual farmer of the right to say how much cotton he will produce. To every cotton farmer will be allotted a certain quota, representing the maximum amount of cotton he may produce. Penalties are provided for punishment of those who exceed their quotas. Total production for this year would be limited to 10,000,000 bales. This would be apportioned among big and little farmers of the cotton belt.

What other industries eventually will be forced under similar restrictions becomes a question of more than passing interest. And if agriculture and other businesses are to be so drastically regulated by the government, why should not the professions eventually be treated in a like way? There are professions in which there is an over-supply of practitioners.

These are logical thoughts that take form in considering the cotton-control bill. They may serve to impress upon even the man in the street the revolutionary changes taking place now in the American government. And we are little more than at the start of these changes if the predictions of those in official position prove true.

The Office Cynic says what he wonders about, darkly, is whether New York does all that to entertain itself or the notables on parade.

NEWS GLEANINGS FROM THE ADJACENT TOWNS; SOME INTERESTING BITS OF DAILY FICTION; SOCIAL EVENTS**CROYDON**

Joel Lineberry and Mathias Summers were visitors in Doylestown, Thursday.

George W. Wright is improving his house by having it painted.

Mrs. Elmer Crammer will leave shortly for Massachusetts where she will make her home. Mr. Crammer has charge of a United States Naval Recruiting Station there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace White have been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Tischer, Tullytown, and Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Tischer, Philadelphia, were visitors at DuPont Gardens, Longwood, Sunday.

William Barwiss was a recent visitor of his mother, Mrs. Viola Rice, Cornwells Heights.

Miss Gladys Liberto, Bristol, has been spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Liberto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Magowan, Morrisville, were visitors of Mrs. Mercy Harvison, Thursday.

Joshua H. Cooper and Etris Wright spent Wednesday visiting in Doylestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mulhausen had as their week-end guests, relatives from Media.

Mrs. E. Scharg, Mrs. A. Mulhausen, Mrs. Gibson, were guests of Mrs. Charles Schwicker, Thursday night, when they enjoyed refreshments and cards.

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS

Mrs. Anne Peterson, Edgely, is spending a week with Mrs. Charles Tomlinson, Hulmeville Road.

Mrs. Reiche is spending a few days with her father in New Jersey.

TULLYTOWN

Carman DiCicco has been suffering with a sprained ankle.

SPORTS

LOWER BUCKS LEAGUE TO OPEN SEASON, MAY 1 SEVEN INNINGS WILL CONSTITUTE YOUTH GAMES

The Lower Bucks County Baseball League will open the season on May 1st, and three games are booked to be played on that day.

The schedule for the season follows:

FIRST HALF

Tuesday, May 1
Bristol A. A. at Cornwells Parkland at Odd Fellows Hulmeville at A. O. H.

Thursday, May 3
Odd Fellows at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Parkland Cornwells at Hulmeville

Tuesday, May 8
Hulmeville at Odd Fellows Parkland at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Cornwells

Thursday, May 10
Bristol A. A. at Hulmeville Odd Fellows at A. O. H. Cornwells at Parkland

Tuesday, May 15
Bristol A. A. at A. O. H. Cornwells at Odd Fellows Hulmeville at Parkland

Thursday, May 17
Cornwells at Bristol A. A. Odd Fellows at Parkland A. O. H. at Hulmeville

Tuesday, May 22
Bristol A. A. at Odd Fellows Parkland at A. O. H. Hulmeville at Cornwells

Thursday, May 24
Odd Fellows at Hulmeville Bristol A. A. at Parkland Cornwells at A. O. H.

Tuesday, May 29
Hulmeville at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Odd Fellows Parkland at Cornwells

Thursday, May 31
A. O. H. at Bristol A. A. Odd Fellows at Cornwells Parkland at Hulmeville

Tuesday, June 5
Bristol A. A. at Cornwells Parkland at Odd Fellows Hulmeville at A. O. H.

Thursday, June 7
Odd Fellows at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Parkland Cornwells at Hulmeville

Tuesday, June 12
Hulmeville at Odd Fellows Parkland at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Cornwells

Thursday, June 14
Bristol A. A. at Hulmeville Odd Fellows at A. O. H. Cornwells at Parkland

Tuesday, June 19
Bristol A. A. at A. O. H. Cornwells at Odd Fellows Hulmeville at Parkland

SECOND HALF

Tuesday, June 26
Cornwells at Bristol A. A. Odd Fellows at Parkland A. O. H. at Hulmeville

Thursday, June 28
Bristol A. A. at Odd Fellows Parkland at A. O. H. Hulmeville at Cornwells

Thursday, July 5
Hulmeville at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Odd Fellows Parkland at Cornwells

Tuesday, July 10
A. O. H. at Bristol A. A. Odd Fellows at Cornwells Parkland at Hulmeville

Thursday, July 12
Bristol A. A. at Cornwells Parkland at Odd Fellows Hulmeville at A. O. H.

Tuesday, July 17
Odd Fellows at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Parkland Cornwells at Hulmeville

Thursday, July 19
Hulmeville at Odd Fellows Parkland at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Cornwells

Tuesday, July 24
Bristol A. A. at Hulmeville Odd Fellows at A. O. H. Cornwells at Parkland

Thursday, July 26
Bristol A. A. at A. O. H. Cornwells at Odd Fellows Hulmeville at Parkland

Tuesday, July 31
Cornwells at Bristol A. A. Odd Fellows at Parkland A. O. H. at Hulmeville

Thursday, August 2
Odd Fellows at Hulmeville Bristol A. A. at Parkland Cornwells at A. O. H.

Tuesday, August 7
Odd Fellows at Hulmeville Bristol A. A. at Parkland Cornwells at A. O. H.

Thursday, August 9
Hulmeville at Bristol A. A. A. O. H. at Odd Fellows Parkland at Cornwells

Tuesday, August 14
A. O. H. at Bristol A. A. Odd Fellows at Cornwells Parkland at Hulmeville

JEFFERSON A. C. TO MEET

The Jefferson A. C. will hold its monthly meeting in their club house tomorrow night. All members are urged to attend.

FALLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foster were Saturday visitors in Washington, D. C.

Post, American Legion and Auxiliary.

May 22—Semi-monthly sport dance held at Bristol High "Gym."

Fathers' Association Orchestra concert in M. E. Church.

May 31—Semi-monthly sport dance held at Bristol High "Gym."

HIGHWAY PATROLMAN IS HURT WHEN MOTORCYCLE SKIDS

Seven innings will constitute a game in Youths' Week baseball. This rule was agreed upon by the baseball committee consisting of John Hess, James Dolan, Thomas Juno and Charles Oriola. In the event of a tie at the end of the seventh inning, nine innings will be played. In case of rain before the seventh inning, four and one-half innings must be played, provided the home team is ahead. If not, five innings must be completed. The championship games will be limited to nine ninings.

Youths' Week baseball will begin with the junior group playing on April 23rd. James Dolan will be in charge of the Fourth Ward-Flith Ward game. Thomas Juno has been assigned to the First Ward-Second Ward game, with John Hess in charge at Croydon. Either Charles Hellyer or Charles Oriola will handle the Edgely game.

Coch William Dougherty will furnish four varsity players of the Bristol High School team as umpires whenever possible and these will be assigned to their games. All games will begin at four o'clock prompt.

COMING EVENTS

April 18— Card party at Langhorne Memorial House, for Bucks County Salon, 8 'n 40.

Card party by Lily Rebecca Lodge in L. O. O. F. hall.

April 19— Play and musical recital by Philadelphia Scottish Choir at Bristol Presbyterian Church, 8:15 p. m.

Hot roast beef supper auspices Senior Brotherhood, Harriman M. E. Church.

Card party by No. 3 Fire Co. at hose house, 8:30 p. m.

Dance at Mutual Aid hall, 8:30 to 12, auspices Mutual Aid Society.

April 20— Card party of Women's Democratic Club at Cornwells Fire Co. station, 8:30 p. m.

April 21— Play and musical recital by Philadelphia Scottish Choir at Bristol Presbyterian Church, 8:15 p. m.

Hot roast beef supper auspices Senior Brotherhood, Harriman M. E. Church.

Card party at Hulmeville fire station, benefit of Hulmeville baseball team.

Card party at St. James's parish house, benefit of Harriman Hospital Tennis Club, 8:45 p. m.

Annual spring dance held at Bristol High "Gym."

April 23— Card party social and dance by Ladies' Aid at Newport Road Chapel.

Card party in Newportville fire house by E. H. Middleton, for benefit of Newportville Fire Co.

Dance in Monti's hall, Tullytown, benefit of Tullytown Fire Co.

Chicken supper at home of Mrs. Carrie Madrid, 579 Bath street, benefit of Second Baptist Church contest.

Beginning yesterday at 3:45 o'clock, she directed the activities of the Springtown 4-H Garment and

Special Dress Club when the members start a new project in planning wardrobes and making pajamas.

Springtown, a week ago and stealing tools valued at \$200.

Tuesday morning at a meeting of the Lahaska Women's Clothing Group

at the home of Miss Mary Johnson, Miss Armstrong will be in charge in order to supervise the cutting of the dresses.

The Sandy Ridge Garment Club will meet on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock to complete an apron project.

For the purpose of altering patterns and taking measurements, there will be a meeting of the New Hope Women's Clothing Group on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. John Flood. Miss Armstrong explained the meeting will be an all day affair.

Thursday afternoon will find Miss Armstrong at the home of Mrs. Harold Weir in charge of the Richboro Women's Clothing Group, which will get under way at 1:30 o'clock. The women will put the finishing touches to dresses on which they have been working.

Less than a week ago this group staged a fashion and model show at the Bucks County Spring Round-Up held at Chalfont Grange Hall.

Two meetings have been scheduled for Friday. In the morning at 10 o'clock the Langhorne Women's Food Group will meet at the home of Mrs. Elva Bennett, American home chairman, and will hear Miss Armstrong discuss the planning of a well balanced meal.

A low cost food demonstration on vegetables will be given by Miss Armstrong on Friday afternoon at Newtown at 3 o'clock.

Sentence Six Men Who Carried Guns

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for violation of parole; record, four times arrested.

Judge Boyer highly commended the service of the Quakertown police in arresting these men, and commended the action of the proprietor of the Napier roadside stand near Quakertown, where the defendants tried to "dump" the guns but were caught in the act.

Last week, Judge Boyer in refusing new trials remarked in Court that the only purpose of men like these carrying a sawed-off shotgun was for murder, and that it is the duty of the Court to protect the public against such characters. Mark Thatcher, Perkasie attorney for the defendants, described his clients as victims of the World War period.

President Judge Hiram H. Keller sentenced Joseph Timmer, Jr., of Cooperburg RD, and John Lennard, Jr., of Bethlehem, silk workers, to four months to three years in the Bucks County Prison after they had pleaded guilty to breaking into the public garage of Foster L. Gutshall,

unable to buy feed or sell their grain, many farmers are hauling their wheat, corn, oats, and buckwheat to a mill, where they have a supply of livestock feed ground. Others have their wheat converted into flour, with which the farm wife bakes the family's bread supply.

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Bulgaria to Bar All Imports From Far East

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last three years, but increased their purchases from the Dutch only 30 per cent. Japan is selling light bulbs there considerably under the Dutch trust's price.

Belgium still manages to sell more to Japan than she buys from the Far East, but since 1931 when the ratio was four to one it was cut last year to two to one.

France is in the red ink as far as her trade relations with the Japanese are concerned, taking no less than 38,700,000 yen worth of Japanese goods last year. Next to the British Isles, France is Japan's best European customer.

Spain and Portugal together manage to sell twice as much to the Japanese as they purchase from them.

Italy manages to keep the trade fairly even now, but three years ago she had a favorable balance of about 50 per cent against Japan.

The huge favorable balance of the British Isles is also being whittled down, dropping to 5,000,000 yen in 1933 compared with 31,000,000 three years previous.

Thus it was that Japan, ending with an unfavorable trade balance of 136,500 yen with European countries was able to cut this down to 74,500 yen in 1933.

The figures, however, fail to give a proper picture because of the drop in the yen's value which forced the

Japanese to deliver more merchandise in 1933 than in 1931.

On the broad sphere of her world trade, Japan sliced a 1930 unfavorable trade balance of 234,200,000 yen down to 111,200,000 yen in 1933.

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entirely feasible from an engineering standpoint, the difference in length and lockage were so great that detailed estimates were not necessary to demonstrate that a canal of the dimensions outlined would cost very much less by the Beaver-Mahoning "short route."

Last April, the chief of engineers returned the Kutz reports of 1925 on the Pittsburgh-Ashtabula, Portsmouth-Sandusky and Cincinnati-Toledo routes and the preliminary examination report of 1923 covering the all-Pennsylvania route to the district engineer at Pittsburgh with instructions to submit a new survey report upon these four routes. These are under consideration at the present time.

Only recently, the district engineer was instructed to give precedence to this study and the date of submission to the chief of engineers was advanced to May 15th next.

It will be sometime after that when the final recommendations will be made to Congress.

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